IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

JEFFREY MARTEN : CIVIL ACTION

Petitioner,

:

vs. :

NO. 07-1063

MARILYN BROOKS, Superintendent, :

THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE : COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA; and THE : ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE : OF PENNSYLVANIA :

Respondents. :

ORDER

AND NOW, this 23rd day of October, 2007, upon careful and independent consideration of the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 filed by petitioner, Jeffrey Marten, the Response to Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus, and Petitioner's Response to Respondents' Answer, and after review of the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Arnold C. Rapoport dated September 27, 2007, the Court noting that no Objections were filed, IT IS ORDERED as follows:

- The Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Arnold C.
 Rapaport dated September 27, 2007, is APPROVED and ADOPTED;
- 2. The Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 filed by petitioner,

 Jeffrey Marten, is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** and without an evidentiary hearing,
 so as to permit petitioner to fully exhaust his Post-Conviction Relief Act proceedings in state
 court; and,
 - 3. A certificate of appealability will not issue on the ground that petitioner has not made

a substantial showing of a denial of a constitutional right as required under 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2).

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Honorable Jan E. DuBois
JAN E. DUBOIS, J.